

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akira EZAWA

Group Art Unit: 2612

Application No.: 09/361,312

Examiner:

J. Villecco

Filed: July 27, 1999

Docket No.: 103903

For:

ELECTRONIC CAMERA ACHIEVING HIGHER FRAME SPEED (AS AMENDED)

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In further reply to the January 15, 2004 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply having been extended to July 15, 2004 by the Petition for Extension of Time filed on July 15, 2004, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification; and

Remarks.